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TAGS: MASS, ML, US

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR LETTER OF OFFER BY MALI MOD

REFERENCE: (A) STATE 232733

(B) DA WASH DC 301913Z NOV 73

(C) BAMAKO 3689

(D) BAMAKO 3713

DAKAR FOR USDAO

1. LONG TERM CREDIT, REF B, APPLIES ONLY TO THE EXISTING
FMS CREDIT REMAINING UNDER THE TERMS OF THE 1972 CREDIT
ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF MALI AND THE
DEPT. OF DEFENSE.

2. BECAUSE FMS CREDIT AVAILABLE WILL NOT COVER ALL ITEMS
MALI WANTS, TERMS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ALL OR MOST OF THE
80 MODEL 800 SERIES 5-TON TRUCKS WOULD BE "DEPENDABLE
UNDERTAKING" WITH NO DOWN PAYMENT PER SE REQUIRED. THE
NET EFFECT OF "DEPENDABLE UNDERTAKING" TERMS IS THAT
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MALI WOULD BE REQUIRED TO PAY ALL COSTS OF THE TRUCKS

PRIOR TO THEIR DELIVERY, INCLUDING CANCELLATION COSTS
SHOULD SUCH BECOME NECESSARY.

3. TO DATE, TWO OF THE LETTERS OF OFFER HAVE BEEN
DELIVERED TO THE EMBASSY OF MALI IN WASHINGTON; ONE FOR
500 PARACHUTE ASSEMBLIES (WHICH INCLUDES 500 MAIN AND

500 RESERVE CHUTES) AT DOLS 187,000, AND 20 1/4-TON
TRUCKS AT DOLS 91,000. THE LETTERS OF OFFER FOR HE
M800 SERIES TRUCKS AND THE WRECKERS WILL BE HELD IN DOD
UNTIL CLARIFICATION RECEIVED REGARDING PAYMENT OVER AND
ABOVE AVAILABLE CREDIT. RUSH

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